

UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES:

Church Softball: Practices on Sundays at 1:00pm at the High School Upper Field. Games on Thursday evenings. Email or call the church office for more info.

Church Hikes: Hikes will be on Saturdays at 8:00am meet in Church parking lot at 7:50am (no carpooling & social distancing required).

Women's Paddle: Tuesday, June 23rd 9:00am at Ski Beach. RSVP required to millie.clarke@gmail.com

Lake Tahoe Women's Retreat: The 2020 Women's Retreat has been cancelled.

BIBLE STUDY & SMALL GROUP INFO:

Tuesday Night, Incline Small Group (6:30pm to 8:00pm) Zoom Meeting.

Wednesday Morning, Men's Bible Study (6:30am to 7:30am) Zoom Meeting.

Wednesday Night, Adult Bible Study (6:00pm to 7:00pm) Zoom Meeting.

Thursday Night, Middle & High School Group (6:30pm to 7:30pm): Zoom Mtg.

2nd & 4th Sunday Morning, Middle & High School Bible Study (10:15am to 11:15am) in-person in the Youth Room & online via Zoom.

HELP NEEDED:

Church Ushers/Greeters

Because of the COVID social distancing requirements, we will need a lot of help from ushers/greeters this Summer, especially with the 10am outdoor service. Please consider being a part of the team that will help us to continue to be open up and stay safe. If you would like to volunteer, please email the church office at

apayne@thevillagechurchnv.org.

Church Gardening Volunteers

The church needs volunteers to help with gardening around the outside of the church. If you would like to volunteer, please email the church office at

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Village Christian Thrift Shop Volunteers Needed

Thrift Shop is seeking volunteers to help out on a regular basis (including seasonal volunteers). The normal Thrift Shop days of operation are Monday-Saturday 11:00am-3:00pm. We need men and women volunteers to help out on any of the days that we are open. Please contact Linda Robins at 775-831-5200 or Vickie Twichell 775-434-5830 to volunteer or for more information.

Sierra Community House Food Box Packing

The Sierra Community House needs volunteers to pack food boxes. They need our help on Wednesdays with two shifts with four people per shift. The two shifts are Wednesdays at 9:30am-11:00am and 12:00pm-1:30pm. The location of these food box packings is at the Boys & Girls Club in Kings Beach. Please contact Jim Dykstra if you would like to volunteer.

Church Leadership:

Paul Ackerman - Deacon
Dolores Alferez - Preschool Staff
Alfredo Amezaga - Elder
Lynn Bandaruk - Deacon
Ted Bandaruk - Elder
Pastor Tony Conragan, CLP - AV & Youth Pastor
Jim Dykstra - Deacon
Jon Fay - Choir Director
Karen Ferrell - Women's Ministries Moderator
Betsy Garfinkle - Deacon
Tim Gilbert - Elder & Custodian
Patti Hanczarek - Preschool Staff
Keith Hansen - Elder
Tasia Irons - Preschool Staff
Yolanda Jimenez - Preschool Staff
Scott Johnson - Elder

Cindy Liggett - Preschool Director
Miriella Melara - Deacon
Marilyn Merritt - Deacon
Darlene Nilsson - Elder
Rev. Jeff Ogden - Pastor
Steve O'Malley - Deacon
Annie Payne - Office Manager
Chris Peterson - Deacon
Sabra Presler - Preschool Staff
Linda Robins - Thrift Shop Manager
Ann Schofield - Clerk of Session, Elder
Jason Stanton - Accompanist
Lynne Swingley Donat - Deacon
Vickie Twichell - Thrift Shop Manager
Paul Twichell - Elder
Debby Wiens - Pianist



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

June 21, 2020 10:00 A.M.

~WE WORSHIP THE LORD~

WELCOME & NEWS OF THE CHURCH

Pastor Jeff Ogden

Welcome to the Village Church! If you have a prayer request for the prayer team or would like more information about life here at The Village Church please email the Church at info@thevillagechurchnv.org You can also update your contact information and sign up to receive our weekly news updates. We're glad you're here with us today!

OPENING PRAYER

SONGS OF WORSHIP

***Good, Good Father**

I've heard a thousand stories of what they think You're like,
But I've heard the tender whisper of love in the dead of night;
You tell me that You're pleased and that I'm never alone;

Chorus You're a Good, Good Father -

It's who You are; it's who You are; it's who You are;
And I'm loved by You -
It's who I am; it's who I am; it's who I am.

I've seen many searching for answers far and wide,
But I know we're all searching for answers only You provide.
Because You know just what we need before we say a word.

Chorus x2

Bridge You are perfect in all of Your ways;
You are perfect in all of Your ways;
You are perfect in all of Your ways to us.
You are perfect in all of Your ways;
You are perfect in all of Your ways;
You are perfect in all of Your ways to us.

Love so undeniable I can hardly speak
Peace so unexplainable I can hardly think
As You call me deeper still, as You call me deeper still,
As You call me deeper still into love, love, love

Chorus x2

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Darlene Nilsson

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord God, Father, we come before you as your children. We have been disobedient and willful, not obeying your commands with a glad heart, or not obeying at all. Help us Lord to repent of our rebellion and to submit ourselves to you. We have not always blessed those who curse us, we have not always sought to overcome evil with good. We have not acted as instruments of your—peace as ambassadors of Christ. Help us Lord to trust you and to seek your Spirit. Help us, Lord, to find correction and healing in your Word and in your Church. In the Name of Christ we pray. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

~~WE GIVE THANKS TO GOD~~

PASTORAL PRAYERS, SILENT PRAYERS AND LORD'S PRAYER

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts
As we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom,
And the Power, and the Glory, forever. Amen.

~~WE MEET GOD THROUGH THE WORD~~

Message: "The Message to Philadelphia: An Open Door" Pastor Jeff Ogden

Scripture: Revelation 3:7-13

⁷ "To the angel of the church in Philadelphia write:

These are the words of him who is holy and true, who holds the key of David. What he opens no one can shut, and what he shuts no one can open. ⁸ I know your deeds. See, I have placed before you an open door that no one can shut. I know that you have little strength, yet you have kept my word and have not denied my name. ⁹ I will make those who are of the synagogue of Satan, who claim to be Jews though they are not, but are liars—I will make them come and fall down at your feet and acknowledge that I have loved you. ¹⁰ Since you have kept my command to endure patiently, I will also keep you from the hour of trial that is going to come on the whole world to test those who live on the earth.

¹¹ *I am coming soon. Hold on to what you have, so that no one will take your crown. ¹² Him who overcomes I will make a pillar in the temple of my God. Never again will he leave it. I will write on him the name of my God and the name of the city of my God, the new Jerusalem, which is coming down out of heaven from my God; and I will also write on him my new name. ¹³ He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.*

A THOUGHT FROM CHRISTIANS PAST... "There are no crown-wearers in heaven who were not cross-bearers here below."

Charles Spurgeon

WORSHIP SONG

**Glory To God Forever*

Before the world was made, before You spoke it to be,
You were the King of kings, yeah - You were, yeah - You were;
And now You're reigning still. Enthroned above all things,
Angels and saints cry out, we join them as we sing:

Chorus Glory to God; Glory to God;
Glory to God forever
Glory to God; Glory to God;
Glory to God forever

Creator God, You gave me breath so I could praise
Your great and matchless name all my days, all my days;
So let my whole life be a blazing offering,
A life that shouts and sings the greatness of our King!

Chorus

Bridge Take my life and let it be
All for You and for Your glory
Take my life and let it be Yours;
Take my life and let it be
All for You and for Your glory;
Take my life and let it be Yours.
We sing:

Chorus x2

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

**May the Lord, Mighty God*

May the Lord, mighty God, bless and keep you forever.
Grant you peace, perfect peace, courage in every endeavor.
Lift up your eyes, and see His face, and His grace forever.
May the Lord mighty God, bless and keep you forever.

FLOWERS In Celebration of Father's Day; Keith & Marji Hansen Anniversary

In Our Prayers: In Our Prayers: Father's and the men in our community;
Graduates; everyone dealing with cancer; healing of racial divisions in our
Nation; everyone affected by the coronavirus.

**Those who are able will please stand*

Thank you for silencing your cell phones during worship.

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